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DISPERSED POL STORAGE  
HAI PHONG AREA, NORTH VIETNAM

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THIS BRIEFING BOARD SHOWS SEVERAL TEMPORARY AND SEMI-PERMANENT  
POL STORAGE AREAS IN AND NEAR HAI PHONG.

2. REMARKS:

SINCE THE MAJOR NORTH VIETNAMESE PETROLEUM STORAGE FACILITIES  
HAVE BEEN DESTROYED OR DAMAGED MANY NEW STORAGE SITES HAVE BEEN  
OBSERVED. MOST OF THE POL IMPORTED INTO THE COUNTRY COMES THROUGH  
THE PORT OF HAI PHONG AND THEREFORE MUCH OF THE STORAGE IS IN THAT AREA.

3. MISSION READOUT:

[REDACTED] REVEALS FOUR PREVIOUSLY-  
IDENTIFIED PETROLEUM STORAGE SITES, ONE NEWLY-IDENTIFIED SITE, AND  
NUMEROUS POL DRUMS THROUGHOUT THE CITY OF HAI PHONG.

AREA 1: TIEN NONG PETROLEUM PRODUCTS STORAGE [REDACTED]  
IS LOCATED 8 NM NORTHWEST OF HAI PHONG ON THE SOUTH BANK OF THE  
SONG VAN DUONG AT 20-55-48N 106-33-42E (UTM XJ625149). THIS AREA  
CONTAINS A TOTAL OF THIRTY-SIX BUNKERED POL STORAGE TANKS, WITH EACH  
HAVING AN ESTIMATED CAPACITY OF 12 MT (WATER). TOTAL CAPACITY OF  
THIS SITE IS APPROXIMATELY 432 MT (WATER).

AREA 2: TIEN NONG PETROLEUM PRODUCTS STORAGE SOUTH [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (UTM XJ635156), IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 8 NM NORTHWEST OF

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HAI PHONG ON THE SOUTH BANK OF THE SONG VAN DUONG AT 20-56-10N 106-34-28E (UTM XJ635156). THIS AREA CONTAINS AT LEAST SIXTY BUNKERED POL STORAGE TANKS, EACH HAVING AN ESTIMATED CAPACITY OF 12 MT (WATER). TOTAL CAPACITY OF THE SITE IS APPROXIMATELY 720 MT (WATER).

AREA 3: THIS POL STORAGE AREA IS NEWLY IDENTIFIED AND IS LOCATED AT 20-55-43N 106-34-38E (UTM XJ639148), 7.4 NM NORTHWEST OF HAI PHONG. THIS AREA CONTAINS SIXTY BUNKERED POL STORAGE TANKS ARRANGED IN SIX ROWS, WITH EACH TANK HAVING AN ESTIMATED CAPACITY OF 12 MT (WATER). TOTAL CAPACITY OF THE SITE IS APPROXIMATELY 720 MT (WATER).

AREA 4: SONG MAI PETROLEUM PRODUCTS STORAGE IS LOCATED 4.1 NM NORTHWEST OF HAI PHONG ON THE NORTH BANK OF THE CUA CAM AT 20-54-21N 106-37-50E (UTM XJ695125). THIS AREA CONTAINS 20 BUNKERED POL STORAGE TANKS IN 10 BUNKERS, EACH TANK HAVING AN ESTIMATED CAPACITY OF 12 MT (WATER). TOTAL CAPACITY OF THE SITE IS APPROXIMATELY 240 MT (WATER).

ALSO OBSERVED IN THIS AREA ARE THREE SMALL PETROLEUM BARGES OF THE TYPE USED TO OFFLOAD OCEAN-GOING TANKERS. ADDITIONAL PETROLEUM BARGES OF THIS TYPE ARE OBSERVED ON THE CUA CAM NEAR HAI PHONG BUT ARE NOT SHOWN OF THIS GRAPHIC.

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AREAS 5, 6, AND 7 SHOW EXAMPLES OF THE METHODS OF STORAGE OBSERVED AND A PORTION OF THE APPROXIMATELY 3,000 POL DRUMS SEEN IN HAI PHONG ON THIS MISSION.

AREA 5: THIS AREA CONTAINS NUMEROUS POL DRUMS IN OPEN STORAGE ALONG A TREE-LINED STREET IN NORTHEAST HAI PHONG. A POL TANK TRUCK IS OBSERVED IN THIS AREA ALSO.

AREA 6: THIS AREA CONTAINS NUMEROUS POL DRUMS IN OPEN STORAGE STACKED NEAR THE INTERSECTION OF TWO STREETS IN NORTHEAST HAI PHONG.

AREA 7: THIS AREA CONTAINS THREE GROUPS OF STACKED POL DRUMS, WHICH HAVE BEEN PARTIALLY COVERED WITH CANVAS, IN THE WHARF AREA OF HAI PHONG.

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